Claim Amendments

Please amend the claims as follows:

- 1. (Currently Amended) An integrated circuit having scan test features and including:
- a scan test signal interceptor for intercepting scan test related signals applied to the integrated circuit; and
- a security element responsive to the scan test signal interceptor to preclude retrieval of secure information within the integrated circuit using the scan test related signals,

wherein the security element comprises:

a reset generator to [[reset]] <u>clear all</u> secure information within the integrated circuit.

2. (Cancelled)

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- 3. (Previously Presented) The integrated circuit of claim 1 wherein the scan test signal interceptor is operable to sense a request to enter scan test.
- 4. (Currently Amended) The integrated circuit of claim 3 wherein the reset generator is operable to [[reset]] <u>clear all</u> secure information in response the request to enter scan test.
- 5. (Previously Presented) The integrated circuit of claim 1 wherein the scan test signal interceptor is operable to sense a request to exit scan test.
- 6. (Currently Amended) The integrated circuit of claim 5 wherein the reset generator is operable to [[reset]] <u>clear all</u> secure information in response the request to exit scan test.

7. (Currently Amended) A method operable within and tangibly embodied within an integrated circuit to prevent unauthorized access to secure information, the method comprising:

detecting application of a scan test related signal to the integrated circuit; and precluding access to the secure information in response to detection of the scan test related signal,

wherein the step of precluding includes: resetting elements of the integrated circuit to reset the clear all secure information.

8. (Cancelled)

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- 9. (Original) The method of claim 7 wherein the step of detecting includes: detecting a signal applied to the integrated circuit requesting entry to scan test.
- 10. (Original) The method of claim 9 wherein the step of resetting includes: resetting elements of the integrated circuit in response to detection of the request to enter scan test.
 - 11. (Original) The method of claim 9 wherein the step of detecting includes: detecting a signal applied to the integrated circuit requesting exit from scan test.
- 12. (Original) The method of claim 11 wherein the step of resetting includes: resetting elements of the integrated circuit in response to detection of the request to exit scan test.

13. (Currently Amended) A system including an integrated circuit having a scan test capability, the system comprising:

means for detecting scan test operation of the integrated circuit; and means for precluding retrieval of secure information within the integrated circuit in response to detecting scan test operation,

wherein the means for precluding includes:

reset means for resetting the <u>erasing all</u> secure information within the integrated circuit to preclude retrieval thereof using scan test operation.

14. (Cancelled)

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- 15. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 13 wherein the reset means is operable to generate a reset within the integrated circuit in response to sensing entry to scan test of the integrated circuit.
- 16. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 13 wherein the reset means is operable to generate a reset within the integrated circuit in response to sensing exit from scan test of the integrated circuit.